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(SBU) On February 29, Deputy Economic Counselor shared reftel points with Linn Ohlsson, Desk Officer, Department for Management and Methods in Development Cooperation, at the Swedish MFA. Ohlsson commented that she coordinates all Official Development Assistance and Financing for Development issues (FfD), ensuring that issues reach the appropriate sections of the MFA and the Ministry of Finance. Ohlsson provided the following contact information regarding the main Swedish FfD policy drivers: Erik Korsgren, Deputy Head, Department for Management and Methods in Development Cooperation, at the Swedish MFA (erik.korsgren@foreign.ministry.se) and Linn Ohlsson, Desk Officer, Department for Management and Methods in Development Cooperation, at the Swedish MFA (linn.ohlsson@foreign.ministry.se). Post will report any substantive response from host-country stakeholders septel.

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